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BANDWIDTH MANAGEMENT USING STATISTICAL MEASUREMENT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

No Amendments to the Claims have been made.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.